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PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. 17040.4a.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	Walid Nagib Aboul-Hosn	)
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Serial No.:	10/521,044	) Art Unit
Filed:	12/5/2005	) 3762
Conf. No.:	6603	)
For:	PERCUTANEOUSLY INTRODUCE BLOOD PUMP AND RELATED METHODS	)
Examiner:	Christopher A Flory	)
Customer No.:	022913	)

**AMENDMENT "A"**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of 25 January 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.